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## (U) CALIFORNIA

### (U) Los Angeles – Two Dead and Five Injured After ‘Multiple Shooters’ Open Fire at Park

(U) Two people were killed and at least five others were injured after gunfire erupted Sunday at a Los Angeles park where a car show was being held. The LA Fire Department said the incident occurred at or near the car show and that at least three people suffered gunshot wounds and two of them were in critical condition. Seven people overall, four men and three women, were injured and taken to hospitals, according to the fire department. Police have not announced a motive and no arrests have been made.

SOURCE: 25 July 2022, [ABC News](#)

### (U) San Diego – Drug Abuse Among Arrestees at 22-Year Record High in 2021

(U) Illegal drug use among men booked into San Diego County jails reached a 22-year high last year, with 83-percent of the arrested men who were surveyed testing positive for at least one drug, according to a report by the San Diego Association of Governments (SANDAG) released this week. 60-percent of women surveyed in jail tested positive for a least one drug in 2021, the lowest rate since 2008.

Methamphetamine continues to be the most common illicit drug used by adult arrestees. Among those who participated last year, 58-percent of the men tested positive for meth, up from 57-percent the previous year. Among women, 44-percent tested positive down from 53-percent in 2020. Marijuana was also found to be widely used by arrestees, almost 90-percent of the people interviewed said they had tried it. Although the marijuana can be obtained through legal dispensaries, 62-percent of the adults interviewed said they had obtained the drug illegally on the street.

SOURCE: 24 July 2022, [San Diego Union Tribune](#)

### (U) Stockton – Teens Facing Charge for Terrorist Threats

(U) Two Stockton teens were arrested on Friday for charges of terrorist threats along with resisting arrest and brandishing, according to the Stockton Police Department. The 14-year-old male and 15-year-old male were in the 5200 block of Pacific Avenue in the Lakeview District, according to police, where a 30-year-old male was working and asked the teens to leave. Police said that the two teens then assaulted the man and brandished a replica firearm. The teens were later located by officers and attempted to resist arrest, according to police, but were eventually taken into custody.

SOURCE: 23 July 2022, [Fox News](#)

## (U) NATIONAL

### (U) District of Columbia – FBI Says Chinese-Made Huawei Equipment Could Disrupt US Nuclear Arsenal Communications

(U) Washington – Since at least 2017, federal officials have investigated Chinese land purchases near critical infrastructure, shut down a high-profile regional consulate believed by the US government to be a hotbed of Chinese spies and stonewalled what they saw as clear efforts to plant listening devices near sensitive military and government facilities. Among the most alarming things the FBI uncovered pertains to Chinese-made Huawei equipment atop cell towers near US military bases in the rural Midwest.

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According to multiple sources familiar with the matter, the FBI determined the equipment could capture and disrupt highly restricted Defense Department communications, including those used by US Strategic Command, which oversees the country's nuclear weapons.

SOURCE: 25 July 2022, [CNN](#)

### **(U) Oregon – Drug Agents Stop, Arrest Man on Fentanyl Trafficking Charges**

(U) Prineville – A 33-year-old Prineville man allegedly trafficking in fentanyl tablets from the Portland area to Central Oregon was pulled over and arrested late Friday night on Highway 126 near the Prineville Airport, drug agents said. Police gathered and seized a commercial quantity of fake pharmaceutical tablets made of fentanyl, along with other evidence of commercial drug sales. The greater Portland area is a major transshipment hub where illegal drugs coming from the southwest border are stored in local warehouses, storage units and residential properties, according to police. The bulk shipments of drugs are usually broken down into smaller quantities and transported to other states or distributed to local dealers. The Portland area has an international airport, interstate highways, and bus and train lines that make it easy for shipments to be smuggled to other destinations around the Pacific Northwest.

SOURCE: 23 July 2022, [KTVZ](#)

### **(U) Pennsylvania – FBI Task Force Seizes Five-Kilograms of Cocaine After Hotel Bust**

(U) Kennedy – Police with an FBI task force said they caught a man Tuesday at a Steubenville Pike hotel unpacking five-kilos of cocaine from a secret compartment of an SUV after he'd been observed in the parking lot removing the bumper. officers approached the SUV and saw that the bumper was removed, revealing two voids for hiding drugs. They saw a kilogram-sized package in one of the voids and recovered four others from a backpack near the suspect. All tested positive for cocaine.

SOURCE: 22 July 2022, [Post-Gazette](#)

### **(U) Washington – Major Drug-Ringleader Linked to a Cartel Pleads Guilty**

(U) Seattle – Luis Arturo Magana-Ramirez, 34, led a Mexican cartel-linked drug trafficking ring pleaded guilty this week for his role in bringing more than 120-pounds of methamphetamine, heroin, fentanyl pills, and cocaine into Western Washington, federal authorities announced Friday. The agency said that Magana-Ramirez, in addition to being responsible for the transnational organization's transportation of large quantities of drugs into the region, also threatened to beat or kill people who owed money to the ring, leading authorities to move in to protect a target in at least one instance.

SOURCE: 23 July 2022, [The News Tribune](#)

## **(U) INTERNATIONAL**

### **(U) Albania – Terror Threat Cancels Iranian Opposition's Summit**

(U) Tirana – Iranian dissidents in Albania on Friday said they had canceled a summit following warnings from local authorities of a possible terrorist threat. Some 3,000 Iranian dissidents from the Mujahedeen-e-Khalq, best known as MEK, live at Ashraf 3 camp in Manez, 19-miles west of Albania's capital, Tirana. They had planned to hold at their camp the Free Iran World Summit from 23-to-24 July with the participation of US senators and congressmen, and other former personalities from Western countries to "call on the Biden administration to adopt a decisive policy against the Tehran regime." A statement from the camp said the summit was "postponed until further notice upon recommendations by the Albanian government, for security reasons, and due to terrorist threats and conspiracies."

SOURCE: 22 July 2022, [ABC News](#)

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### **(U) Mali – Rebels Attack Key Military Base Near Mali's Capital**

(U) Bamako – Rebels have attacked Mali's Kati military base on the outskirts of the capital city Bamako, the ruling junta confirmed Friday. It's the first time Kati, Mali's largest military base, has been hit by extremist rebels in their more than 10-year insurgency in the West African country. Two vehicles loaded with explosives detonated at the camp at approximately 5 a.m., according to a statement issued by the military. "The Malian Armed Forces vigorously repelled a terrorist attack on the Kati barracks," said the statement, which said that seven attackers were killed and eight arrested.

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